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Martha Gruff**Subject: Transmittal of Application for United States Letters Patent**
Attorney Docket No. 30454-00275

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventors: Sandeep Jaggi

Entitled: Method And Apparatus For Managing Multiple Projects

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Enclosed are the following:

1. 49 pages of specification, claims and abstract;
2. 6 pages of informal drawings;
3. Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney;
4. Unexecuted Assignment with Form PTO-1595; and
5. Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b)(2)(B)(i).

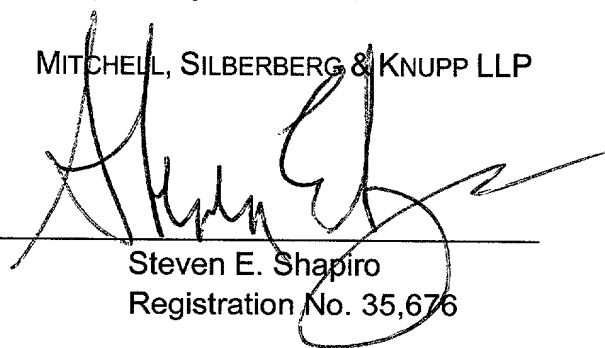
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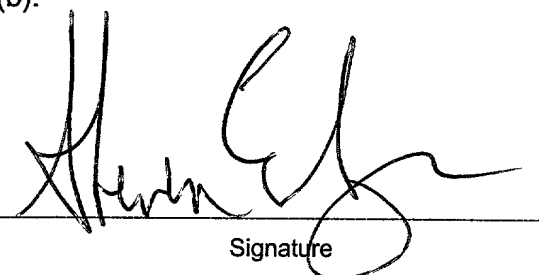
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